

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. The proceedings of the Farmers' Cooperative Ex-
2 change, Kent, Iowa, with respect to the renewal of said corporation are
3 hereby legalized and declared to be of the same force and effect as
4 though they were had in full compliance with the laws of Iowa relating
5 to renewals.

1 SEC. 2. The secretary of state is hereby authorized and directed to
2 issue to the said Farmers' Cooperative Exchange a certificate of re-
3 newal which shall have the same effect as though issued upon proper
4 application by said corporation.

1 SEC. 3. Nothing in this act shall be deemed or construed to affect
2 pending litigation, if any, involving said corporation.

1 SEC. 4. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take
2 effect and be in force from and after its publication as provided by law,
3 and without expense to the state.

Approved March 9, 1939.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Afton Star-Enterprise,
March 30, 1939, and the Lorimor Journal, April 6, 1939.

EARL G. MILLER, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 274

TOWN OF BODE

H. F. 272

AN ACT to legalize and validate proceedings taken by the town council and the officials of the town of Bode, Iowa, in calling and holding a special election held in the town of Bode, Iowa, on the 4th day of November, 1938, and the election itself on the proposition of purchasing a town hall and constructing alterations thereto and contracting indebtedness and issuing bonds for such purpose not exceeding \$3,500.00 and levying an annual tax of two and one-half mills.

WHEREAS, a special election was held in and for the town of Bode, Iowa, on the 4th day of November, 1938, under the provisions of chapter three hundred nineteen (319) of the code, 1935; and

WHEREAS, said election was for the purpose of authorizing the purchase of a town hall and constructing alterations thereto and contracting indebtedness for such purpose not exceeding \$3,500.00 and issuing bonds for such purpose not exceeding \$3,500.00 and the levy of a tax annually upon the taxable property in the town of Bode, Iowa, not exceeding two and one-half mills per annum for the payment of such bonds and interest thereon; and

WHEREAS, at said election the proposition voted on carried by approximately 90% of the vote cast thereon; and

WHEREAS, a question has arisen as to the legality of such election and the authority to purchase a town hall and to construct alterations thereto and

to contract indebtedness and issue bonds and to levy a tax, which question should be put forever at rest; now, therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That the actions and proceedings of the town council
2 of the town of Bode, Iowa, and of the officials of said town, in calling
3 and holding the special election held in the town of Bode, Iowa, on
4 the 4th day of November, 1938, and the election itself on the proposi-
5 tion of purchasing a town hall and constructing alterations thereto
6 and contracting indebtedness for such purpose not exceeding \$3,500.00
7 and issuing bonds for such purpose not exceeding \$3,500.00 and levy-
8 ing a tax annually upon the taxable property in the town of Bode,
9 Iowa, not exceeding two and one-half mills per annum for the pay-
10 ment of such bonds and the interest thereon are hereby validated and
11 legalized notwithstanding any irregularity or omission in connection
12 therewith and shall constitute full authority for the contracting of
13 indebtedness and issuing bonds and levying a tax in the amounts and
14 for the purposes provided in said proposition.

1 SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be
2 in force and effect from and after its publication without expense to
3 the state in The Bode Bugle, a newspaper published at Bode, Iowa,
4 and in The Humboldt Republican, a newspaper published at Humboldt,
5 Iowa.

Approved March 9, 1939.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in The Bode Bugle, March 17, 1939, and The Humboldt Republican, March 17, 1939.

EARL G. MILLER, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 275

CITY OF ROCK RAPIDS

H. F. 294

AN ACT to legalize and validate proceedings of the council of the city of Rock Rapids, Iowa, authorizing the issuance of warrants for operation and maintenance of its electric light and power plant and system, the warrants issued pursuant thereto, proceedings authorizing the issuance and delivery of revenue bonds in exchange for and to retire a like amount of said warrants and pledging net earnings of the electric light and power plant and system of said city to the payment of said bonds and interest thereon.

WHEREAS, the payment of warrants issued to defray a portion of the cost of improvements and extensions to the Municipal Electric Light and Power System of the City of Rock Rapids, Iowa, depleted the revenue derived from the operation and maintenance of said plant, and warrants were thereafter authorized for the operation and maintenance thereof and issued during the period beginning April 5, 1938, and ending January 19, 1939, both dates inclusive, and were outstanding in an aggregate amount, including interest to February 1, 1939, of \$36,551.78; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rock Rapids, Iowa, by resolution adopted on the first day of February, 1939, authorized and provided for the issuance and